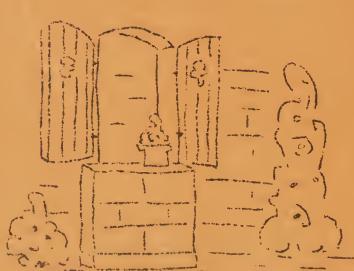
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1936 LIST OF ANNUALS AND PERENNIALS

#### FOREWORD.

Sincere thanks and hearty greetings for this year of 1936.

The degression is about over so let's enjoy ourselves by doing the things we have always wanted to do. For some it will be travel, for others it will be purely business, but for the people who get the most out of life it will be the glorious art of gardening. It really is a wonderful thing to do and one gets so much pleasure in seeing and studying the growth and nature of different plants.

After all Mother Nature certainly is a grand old gentlewoman.

With the coming of spring we think of our gardens and wonder what we can do with them this year. Before you decide to make any changes that may not be worth while, why not consult us. Our land-scape service is growing all the time and no matter how small or large your gardenor gardens may be, each is given the same careful consideration. If you have a desire to enlarge your gardenwe are at your service. Come in our Studio and discuss your problems.

This year we are offering to you something that you undoubtedly have always wanted. Sweet Peas; their culture is often considered difficult, but we have them this year all started. All you have to do is set them out. The list is in the folder. There are separate colors. We still have the same high grade annuals and perennials with always the newer varieties. We buy the best seeds obtainable and our prices are reasonable.

Send your orders in early that you may not be dissappinted.

Drive in at the sign"Elizabeth Rodman, Landscape Planting and Planning, Annual and Perennial Plants." on the Post Road, Route#1 one mile North of Wickford, R. I. or Phone Wickford 274-W

No plants sold on Sunday except by appointment.

VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME.

#### SWEET PEAS.

The sweet peas we have to offer are all nemed varieties and are true to color. The colors are exceptionally nice and will bloom for a long period of time. The selections are the best for out-door planting and are as follows:

Pinnacle- A deep rose pink. Blue Flame-deep blue

Ambition-A lovely deep lavender. Heavenly Blue- A light blue.

Avalanche-Excellent white. Hero-Cerise

Beatall-Bright pink, suffused salmon. Matchless-Deep cream.

Powerscourt-Lilac-lavender. Sunkist-Cream picotee.

These plants are potted up in 3" pots with three in a pot of one color. Now as to the culture of these, do not become panicky because it is not so hard as you have been lead to believe. First prepare your plot where the peas are to grow and flower. Dig a trench 2 ft. wide and 12 to 18 in. deep. In replacing the soil incorporate a liberal amount of humus, especially well rotted manure, and add a small amount of of lime. Fill the trench by several layers of soil and humus mixing all thoroughly with a spading fork until the trench is filled and finally firm with treading. Firm the plants well in the soil and be careful not to break the roots. Plant contents of each pot 10 to 12 in. apart. The next step to follow explicitly is to be sure the plants get plenty of water. In this case water is as important as food. Spray with nicotine solution if aphis appear. some sort of support should be placed before the plants are set so that when they start to grow they will have something to grow on.

This is not a difficult procedure and will assure you much pleasure.

The plants will be ready the last of April or first of May.

Remember the earlier the start the better the plants.

The plants are priced at 15¢ per pot. In doz.lots 1.50

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## ANNUALS FOR 1936.

The annuals this year are better than ever before as they hav	9
had an earlier start and will be grown when they are purchased	by
you. The novelties will be listed in the catalogue alphibetical	ly
and will be marked with the word NEW.	V
Ageratum Blue Cap-More compact in habit and color deeper blue D	07.
than other dwarf varieties. Good for borders. NEW	.40
Ageratum Tall Blue- Free flowering, Cutting. 2 ft.	.40
Arctotis grandis-Blue eyed African daisy.2 ft.Cutting With	• 10
white reverse patals. Borders	.40
Ammobium alatum grand- Everlasting of merit. White. Summer	.40
Aster- Now is your chance to have really fine asters. This year	• '± \
we have purchased seed that is wilt resistant. The plants	
cannot help be good with this feature. In the American branchi	ng
class we have the following kinds.2 ft. Mixed. Improved pink	
Semple, long stems. Azure blus. Clear mid blue. White. Excellent	4.0
white very showy.	.40
Aster Imbricated Pompon. Small flowers but very effective.	
Button heads. Mixed colors, and separate. Crimson with white	
center and light blue with white center	.35
Aster California Sunshine-Single 2 ft. Excellent. The colors are	
Lavender with tufted center. Shell pink, single. White	.40
Aster Deep Rose- Deep rose color, combining well with other	
kinds. Good cutting qualities. 12 ft.	.35
Aster Queen of the Market- In mixed colors only. Very nice.	.40
Browallia elata mixed- A mixture of large blue and white flower	
Nice for cutting. An all summer bloomer. $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft.	.35
Calendula- These are nice for cutting and show in gardens.	•00
2½ - 3 ft. Summer. Separate and mixed colors.	
The state of the s	.35
Florists mixture. Doubles and singles. White to deep yellow	• 00
Lemon Queen-Deep yellow long stemmed.Radio, clear yellow,	
effective arranged with lemon queen. Supreme, light orange	4.0
with brown center. White, creamy white apricot type. NEW	•40
Canterbury Bells. Getting more and more popular all the time,	
Three separate colors.6-8 spikes per plant.2½ ft.summer.	
Angelus blue bells, a deep rose. Blue bells, a Cambridge	4.0
blue.NEW. Purity bells.New.You should try this one	.40
Carthamus tinctorious - A thistle like plant about 3 ft. The	
heads are carried on long stiff stems and are very	
ornamental. Excellent for dried bouquets. NEW. In pots	•60
Castilleja indivisa- Easily grown. Flowers rosy pink	
and red. NEW. In pots	.60
Centaurea cyanus- The ever popular Bachelor's Button $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft.	
Cutting.Summer.Borders.Flowers may be dried.Separate	
colors.Dble.Blue Boy, NEW.Large flowering.Dble blue.	
Dble.ruby red. and Dble.White.	.40
Chorizanthe palneri-NEW. Turkish rugging. Heavy mat of statice	
like flowers. Deep pink. Foliage turns bronze in fall	.50
Cobea scandens-Annual vine. Nice for quick growth. Large flowers	
in two colors, purple and white. In pots each	.15
	+10
Cosmos- Nice for arrangements. Summer 3 ft. Separate colors.	.40
White queen, late summer. Pink beauty, rosy pink.	•==0
Orange Flare, This was tried here last season and found to be	
most satisfactory. I am sure that once you see them bloom	50
you will be glad that you were a lucky byer. NEW.	.50
Cynoglossum amabile- An annual blue forget-me-not. Cutting	4.0
2 ft. Summer. Also a pink variety that is equally good.	.40

## ANNUALS CON'T.

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Dahlia English Charm Hybrids- Easily grown. Nice blooms. The The colors are mixed but are all very fine. Summer 2 ft. Dimorphotheca aurantiaca-African daisy (golden) 12-15 in.	.50
Summer showy Cutting Dim auran hybrids a mixed strain of	40
Erysimum Orange Gem- A true orange color. Resembles the wall-	.40
Euphorbia variegata-Snow on the mountain. Leaves veined with	.40
Gillia capitata- Large round flowers of mauve color. Very	.40
Godetia Sybil Sherwood- Received many awards. Bright salmon pi	
	.50
Heliotrope Queen Helene- Purple of deep lavender, Cutting and	
old fashioned bouquets. 2 ft.Rbi des Noirs-Very dark form	ds
	•50
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sweet scented. These are from routed cuttings. make fine plan	
Herbs- This year we are offering a few herbs. Used for seasoning and salads. Thefirst list are of the annual varieties.	g
	.40
	.40
	•50
Caraway- Seeds used in cakes, breads and liquers.	
It gives all three a different flavor.	.40
Sweet marjoram- Leaves may be used in summer and are	
equally nice dried and used in winter seasoning.	.40
Now for the perennial varieties. We have a few but will	I OIT
	.30
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	.30
Ipomea rubra coerulea- Heavenly blue morning glory. A lovely	• • •
	.15
Larkspur blue spire-Intense Oxford blue.Branched with long	
Shrifton on our part of the strain frame and the strain frame of t	OZ.
	.40
	40
Lobelia Crystal Palace- Deep blue flowers. Borders. Summer, 4 in. Lobelia gracilis-Light blue. Trailing. Window boxes. 9 in.	.40
Marigold African Guinea Gold-Reselected strain. Better than	
the original Guinea Gold. Cutting borders. 2 ft. Sumer-Fall	.40
Marigold Dwarf French Harmony- NEW. 15 in. Deep mahogany red	
outer petals. Golden yellow center petals. Makes splendid show	.50
Marigold dwarf double-French mahogany. NEW Velvety morocco	
brown Blooms freely.Summer.Cutting 12 in.	.40
0.11	.40
Mignonette Golden Goliath- Strong compact plants. Sweet scented "Mignon-Sweet scented. The old fashioned variety. tall	
Nemesia Suttonii-Flwers resemble a small snapdragon. Mixed colo	
Will stand light soil and sun. Summer 1 ft.	.40
Nicotiana affinis - Flwing tobacco. Evening scented. Pure white	
tubular flowers.3 ft. summer-fall/	.40
Nicotiana Affinis-Crimson bedder. A scarlet form of the above	.40
and nice shade to plant for effect.	

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Pansy-Steele's Jumbo Mixed. From spring planted seeds will bloom
all summer, Strong growth and large flowers. Very free flowering. 40
Petunia Balcony Crimson- Large flowers.Free flowering.Heavy
growth.Summer. Window boxes Dark red40
Balcony Royal Turple Jurple form of the above. Balcony white-
white form of previous ones.
P. Celestial Rose, NEW. Largest selling dwarf bedding petunia.
duep rose color improving rose of heaven bedding. 2 ft40
F.Fringed rose pink and white-The most lovely of all. dble40
P. White frill, bedding. Remone Strain Dwarf Mixed-Giant flowers
fine bedder. P.Double Victorious Mixed-Lovely shades of pink
and rose. Bedding and window boxes where there is a strong
wind. Very free flowering40
Phacelia campanularia - NEW. Most beautiful duep blue flowers.
Similar to a gentian Surger. 6 in. In pots .60
Poppy-Annual begonia flowered Ryburgh hybrids. Easily transplanted
Lovely in arrange a star Color range pink to orange40
Portulaca dble.flovering mixed. Nice for dry places.Sum er 6 in40
Salpiglossis Large flowering types-Summer 2 ft.Cutting.Borders.
Crimson-Jurple and goldIurple flowers with a gold veining.40
Reddand gold-white and gold-The gold combinations quite special
Scabiosa Large Flowering- Azure fairy. Heavenly blue. 2 ft. Summer.
Cutting. Crimson, same as above. Loveliness. Fine pink shade 40
Schizanthus -Dr. Badger's Strain. Lovely shades. Free flowering.
You really want some of these. $l_2^{\frac{1}{2}}$ ft. Summer .40
SnapdragonThe snapdragons this year are from rust resistant
seed. Now you can have as many as you want without fear of losing
them. Thet are in separate colors. For cutting, beds, and b
borders.la Ft. Alaska white. Buttercup yellow, and last
but not least Loveliness, a soft pink. NEW 40
Stock- Cut and come again. These are the best to grow as you can
pick them all surper. ly-2 ft.Separate culors.Creole,
yellow, La France Rose, May Queen, Lilac. In pots. 50
Ursinia anothoides- One of the most free flowering of the
annuals. Orange yellow, long stems. Cutting. log ft. NEW40
Zinnia- Always good in the gorden. Long season of bloom. Large
flow ring types include; Exquisite, pink. Fantasy, mixed.
Luminosa.pink with salmon Oriole, Orange and gold bi-color.
Zinnia lilliput- Mixed and rosebud. In pots .50

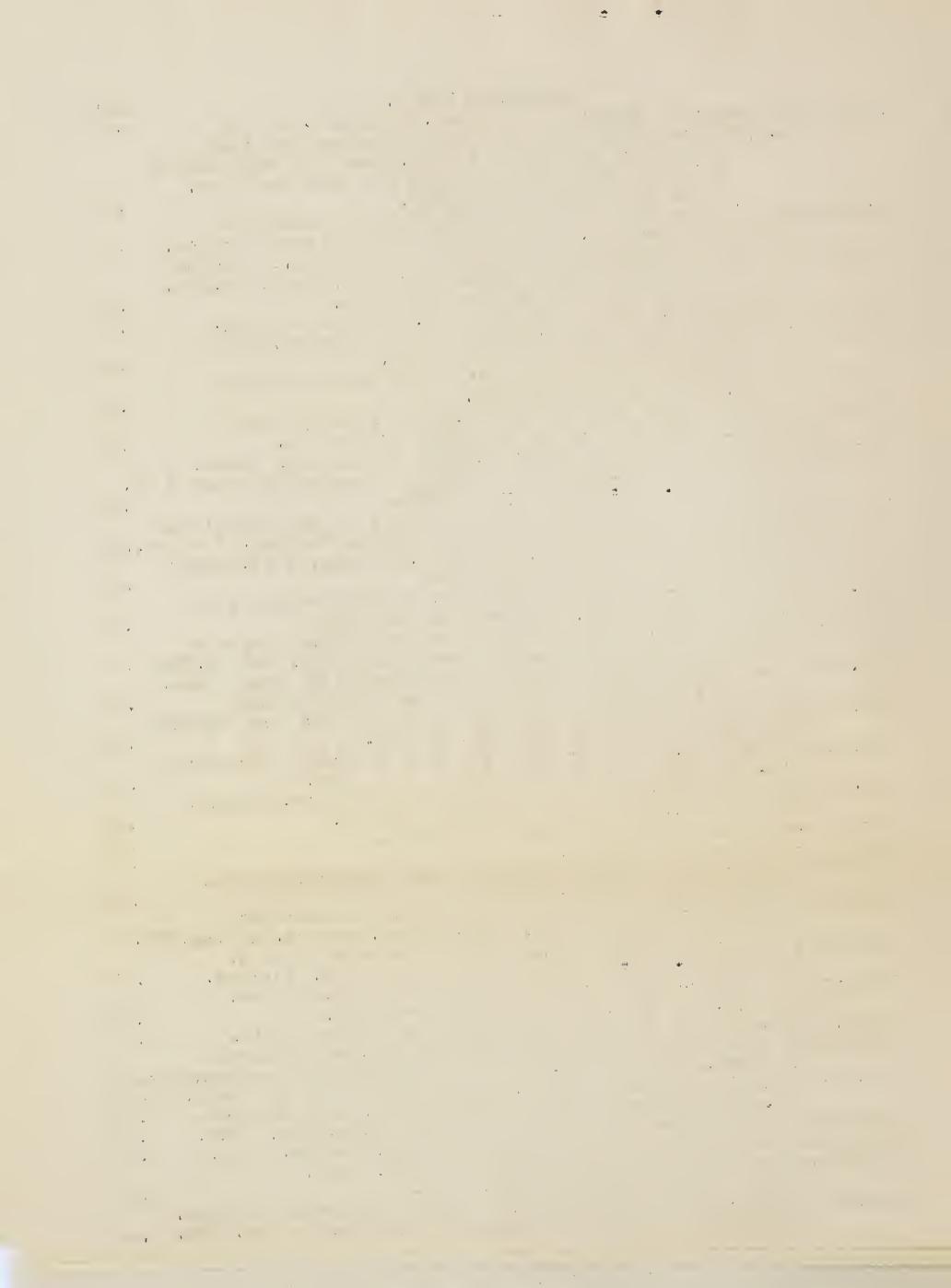
#### LIST OF PERENNIALS.

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The perennials are the same good quality that you always
purchase here. Last fall there were some new comers. You will like them.
 The clumps are large and all have an excellent root growth.
The first on the list is, Achillea ptarmica-Yarrow.2 It. white heads. June till frost
                                                                EACH.
                                                                   .30
                                                                   .25
Ajura reptens- L-3 ft, in. Bronze purple leaves. Creeping. Blue.
                                                                   .30
Alltsum compactur- Yellow. June-July 16 in. Rock Garden.
Anchusa Blul Bird- Cape forget-me-not. 15 in. Blue.Compact
                                                                   .30
    even growbi. Buders, weny chowy.
Antennaria disca- Tinky white flowers. Nice in rock work.
   Thrives in poor soil but will grow in better.Compact.
                                                                   .25
Aquilogia. One of the most charming perennials that you can
     grow. They bloom in the early summer, and continue for
     a good length of time. Cutting. Graceful, 2-3 ft. Many colors.
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Aquilegia coerulea-Colorado columbine. Blue. Borders.
     A-Canadensis- Pink and yell om. Canting loader. 2 ft.
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Aquilegia Compacta - Unusual rock plant.Blue.2/2ft.Cutting	.25
A. Hybrids - These are the result of cross breeding.	
The colors are truly lovely. There are mant shades	
to chapse from, but you must see them in bloom.  I can recommend them highly.	.25
Astimesia frigida- Grey foliage plant. Nice for miniature	• 20
arrangements.8-12 in Fragrant. Splendid in rock gardens.	.30
Articusia Silver King-Excellent in summer bouquets. It can be	
dried and used with other dried flowers effectively.2ft.	.30
Boltonia asteroides-Breamy white. 4 ft. Borders cutting.	.30
Campunula pyranicalis- White spikes of bell flowers. Summer	•00
A god white for borders. $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 ft.	.25
Cophalaria tartarica- Flat heads of creamy white flowers.	7 -
6 ft. Rear of borders. NEW.  Corastium tomentosum- Snow in summer. Dense silvery white	. 35
folioge.6 in. Rock walls and edges of borders.	.30
Coronilla varia-A plant of first quality. Strong rock plant.	
showy heads of pinky-white pea shaped flowers on stems 6	
Blooms Jure to August. Try it. NEW.	.35
Delphinium chinumes- Free blooming perennial of the delphimium family. China blue. Delicate foliage la ft. Cutting. Borders	25
Del. olla donna- Range of blue. Exquisite. Cutting. 2 ft. Longer	3 • • ~ 0
season of bloom than the hybrids.	.40
Del.Norah Forguson-Spikes of pale blue blended with a soft	abe, and
pink. 5 ft. Cutting. Borders. Blooms July.	.75
Dianthus knappi - Very dainty.S; ender stems bearing clusters of small yellow flowers. Dry sunny position. 6-8 in.NEW	.40
Dia. Sylvia-A single pink, coming from the family of June pinks.	• 10
Pink red flowers.Division centers. 1 ft. Cutting.	.30
Dia-Granaticus - Low carpet green having in May and June Bright	2 =
crimson flowers. Rock gardens. Ldging. Digitalis-Foxglove. A Digua- A lovely yellow marked withbrown	.35
2 ft. Blance June-Tuly Borders. NEW.	.40
Dig.gloxineaflora- 3-4 ft. Alons June-July.Borders.Cutting.	
Robust habit. Lovely deep purple flowers.	.35
Dig.glox-Same as ab ve. Rose. Same as above. Dig.glox-Same as above. White.	.35
Echinops ritro-Globe thistle- Thistle like foliage.Borders.	•00
Light blue. Cutting. 3 ft.	.30
Eryngium amethystinun- A true blue thistle, with amethyst	
stems and bracts. 2 ft. July-August.Borders.Cutting.N	1W • 40
Euphorbia mersinites-Milkwort-A pretty prostrate species.  Grey blue foliage. Heads of yellow flowers. Borders.	.35
Gaillardia Dazzler- Large red and yellow flowers. Borders.	• 00
Cutting. 25 ft. A good perennial variety.	.35
Grass, Ribbon grass, Leaves longitudinally striped, white.	.30
Gypsophila paniculata- Ferennial Babys Breath. Small flowers in heads. White 3 ft. Bor ers, Cutting. With arrangement	+ = 30
Heuchera sanguinea- Coral bells-A lovely shade of real coral.	12-15
in. Blooms June to September Borders. Rock Gardens.	.30
Hypericum perforatum- 6 in. Yellow flowers. June-Sept. NEW.	.40
Hypericum polyphillum- Fine foliage. Creeping. Borders. 6 in.	•40
Iberis sempervirens Canaytuft White flowers. June.  A satisfactory border plant. 1 ft.	.25
Linaria alpina- Toad Flax-Brilliant orange and purple flowers.	• ~0
Grey green foliage. Trailing. Rock gardens. Borders. NEW.	.40



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Linum Flavum- Nice variety with transparent yellow flowers	EACH
2 ft. Borders. Not common in this part of the	
country. NEW	•40
L. Narbonense- The nicest of all blue flax. Graceful foliage,	•
Flowers tinted pink. 18 in. Summer	.30
Lupine-Polyphyllus Strain. Pink beauty. Rose. A clear shade.	•00
Borders and cutting. 3 ft. June.	70
	.30
L. poly-Blue beauty. Same form as above.	.30
Lychnis coronaria - Ragged Robin. Very fine foliage. Dainty pink	C7.0
white flowers. 8 in. Rock Garden. June-July.	. 30
Malva mostoscha- Pink mallow. Finely cut foliage.Light pink	
flowers in profusion. 12 in. Borders. June-July.	.30
Phlox divaricata- Worthy of extensive planting.Lovely lavender	
flowers on ling stems. A gem. Blooms May-June.	.35
Potentilla Cinquefoil- Shades of orange and coppery red. Low	
growing. Bold masses in Rock Garden. Edges or borders.	
June to August. About 18 in. NEW.	.35
Polimonium coerulium- Jacobs ladder. Blue spikes about 10 in.	
Borders or rock garden. June.	.30
Rudbeckia purpurea- Cone flower. A lovely perennial to have for	
its bold flowers of dark red. Foliage large. Cutting. 2 ft.	.30
Salvia azurea- Long spikes of bright blue flowers. Summer and	
fall. 3 ft. Borders. Cutting.	.30
Saponaria ocympides - Bouncing bet. Bright pink. Walls or rock	•00
	.30
gardens.Spreading habit. 8 in. Spring.	
Sedum rupestris- Tiny spiked succulent stems. Yellow. Rock wall.	.25
S. Stoloniferum-Flat succulent leaves. Purplish pink flowers.	
July-August. 5 in. Rock walls.	.25
Stachys lanata-Lamb's ears. A grey foliage plant of merit.	-
Flowers not conspicuous. 6 in. Rock walls or gardens.	.25
Sweet William- Newport pink. Salmon rose. Massive heads.	
Cutting, mass bedding. 18 in.	.25
Sweet William- Maron. A most unusual color. Form same as above.	.25
Sweet William- Single white. A very clear white.	.25
Thalictrum aquilegiafolium- 3 ft. Showy. Feathery white flowers.	
Borders. June.	.30
Verbascum Pheonicium- One of the best for the perennial	
border. Shades of white and pink. 2 ft. Cutting.	.30
Veronica maritima- Spikes of blue. Summer. Cutting. 3 ft.	.25
Violet rosina- A lovely shade of pink violet which is sur-	
prisingly sweet scented. 6 in. Blooms in April-May.	.35
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## VEGETABLE PLANTS.

For the home garden we have some of the very best varieties of cabbage, cauliflower, sweet and hot peppers, tomatoes, also small fruited for decoration and salads. Egg plants, Our perrers are the best variety for stuffing and baking. Prices on all are moderate.

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